

**ABSTRACT**

A device for securing doctor blades to a printing roller doctor assembly that comprises at least one magnetic element configured and arranged to maintain a first face of a longitudinal supporting portion of at least one doctor blade in a firm contact with a supporting surface of a body of said doctor assembly, said doctor blade having a  
5 cantilevered free longitudinal portion. Alternatively, the magnetic element is configured and arranged to also maintain a pressing element in a firm contact with a second face of the supporting portion of the doctor blade opposite to said first face in contact with the body. In this way, the supporting portion of the doctor blade, is trapped between said pressing element and said supporting surface of the body.